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*Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, August 16:

Week ended August 14. Bills of health issued to 8 vessels clearing for United States ports, having an aggregate number of 214 members of crew and 27 passengers, of which 25 were bound for various ports in Cuba and 2 for New Orleans. They were all in good sanitary condition up to the time of inspection.

No quarantinable disease reported during the week.

*Report from Santiago—Inspection of vessels—Sanitary work.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, August 10:

Week ended August 7. Bills of health issued to 9 vessels bound for the United States and its dependencies. No vessel fumigated. No case of quarantinable disease reported.

The sanitary department reports 2,463 inspections of houses and the finding of larvæ in 4 water deposits.

## GUATEMALA.

*Reports from Puerto Barrios, fruit port—Stegomyia calopus present.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ames reports:

Week ended August 7. Present officially estimated population, 350. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good. *Stegomyia calopus* present. No quarantinable disease exists.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.
Aug. 4	Belize.....	Mobile.....	18	0	0
5	H. T. Inge .....	New Orleans.....	32	16	1

Temperature taken of all persons on steamship *H. T. Inge* day of sailing.

## HAWAII.

*Reports from Honolulu—Examination of rats for plague infection.*

Chief Quarantine Officer Hobdy reports, August 2:

## HONOLULU.

*Week ended July 31.*

Total rats taken.....	559
Trapped.....	559
Found dead.....	0
Examined bacteriologically.....	364
Plague rats.....	0
Classification of rats trapped:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i> .....	46
<i>Mus musculus</i> .....	251
<i>Mus norvegicus</i> .....	101
<i>Mus rattus</i> .....	161
Average number of traps set daily.....	1, 294
Rat from Hilo still under investigation.....	1